

9/29/94

Mr. Jim Koepke
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Dear Mr. Koepke,

You do not say which CIA employees you told the CIA were implicated in the JFK assassination. From this I presume that what you call research into the JFK assassination is restricted to the kids' game of theories ^W none of which is proven, few of which are even reasonable and in toto have done more to destroy the credibility of legitimate criticism than anything the government has done.

I presume also you are referring to the so-called tramp pictures and the many so-called identifications of them, not of which was even reasonable. And the pictures themselves never had any relevance.


It might have been more helpful if you had told me ^{who} what you are talking about.

But I have no hesitancy in telling you that all of those stories of which I know have no basis in fact or in reason at all.

I am surprised that Helms and Colby ^{at} phoned you. If you identified yourself as with an association that may ^{at} point for it.

I have not had that kind of experience because I never went in for any nutty stuff. I have had other experiences I see no point in going into. They did not threaten me and they did not scare me.

Sincerely,


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Dear Mr. Weisberg:

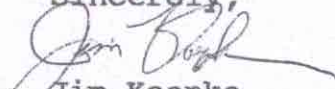
I am a member of Mensa and coordinate their national research group on the subject of President John Kennedy's assassination. Would you care to share your thoughts about some incidents that have happened to me?

Mr. Richard Helms and Mr. William Colby have phoned me in response to a letter I sent them. This letter mentioned some information I had come up with which implicated employees of the CIA in President Kennedy's death. Mr. Colby calmly but sternly advised me to "forget all about this, just forget it". Mr. Helms was extremely angry with me and told me I had no business conducting this investigation. He told me to discontinue my research.

I expected, at the most, to get a form letter from these two gentlemen. It was surprising to me that they would take the time to call me. Would this indicate to you that I was "on the right track", or do you think that they normally phone anyone who writes them about this matter? Have you had similar experiences during your research? Would you be concerned of possible harm from either of these two gentlemen?

Thank you very much for your time and for whatever assistance you can give me.

Sincerely,


Jim Koepke